
From 1 January 2024, new rules from regulators in New South Wales and Queensland require students to attend onsite workshops for Practical Legal Training (PLT), unless you qualify for special circumstances or have a disability.

If you do, you can request to attend online workshops instead. The College offers several courses throughout the year with this option.

Special circumstances and disability that may qualify include:

- Disability (as defined by s4 of the Disability Discrimination Act 1992)
- Exceptional circumstances
- Financial hardship
- Carers responsibilities
- Sad news/sorry business
- Death of a close relative or close friend
- Hardship or trauma
- Employer directed redeployment
- Legal commitments (such as court appearances or jury duty)
- Religious/cultural observance
- Commitment as an elite athlete
- Engaged in defence service (in accordance with the Defence Reserve Service (Protection) Act 2001)

This only affects workshop attendance—the rest of your program stays online.

To find out if this applies to you, email enrolments@collaw.edu.au or complete the online form.
